

ATHLETIC SPORTSMANSHIP – CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

THREE GAME GUARANTEE

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If the team you are scheduled to play is unable to participate, it will count as a game played and a win for your team. A bye counts as a game.

DATE OF TOURNAMENT:

March 23 & 24, 2012 in Sioux Falls, South Dakota

DIVISIONS:

5th, 6th, 7th and 8th Grade Divisions.

PLAYERS:

Players must compete in their grade classification and on only one team. Younger players may participate in older divisions. Player information **must** be correct and current. If incorrect information is submitted, player or team will be ineligible. No team will be accepted with fewer than seven players.

REGISTRATION:

The YMCA reserves the right to refuse participation to any team/coach. Registration fee is \$140.00 plus \$10.00 per player over 10 players. Please make check payable to Sioux Falls YMCA. **IF YOU SUBMIT AN INCOMPLETE REGISTRATION FORM, IT WILL BE RETURNED TO YOU.** A \$70.00 fee will be retained if the tournament is cancelled due to weather or a team cancels after the date of Sunday, March 4, 2012.

REGISTRATION DEADLINE:

Final registration deadline is Sunday, March 4, 2012. An official 2012 Tri-State entry form and fee must be submitted. Space is limited.

GAME TIMES:

First Round: Friday P.M.: 6-10 p.m.

Semi-Finals: Saturday A.M.: 8 a.m. - 12 Noon

Championship: Saturday P.M.: 1-5 p.m.

SITES:

Games will be played in gyms in and around the City of Sioux Falls and Brandon.

TOURNAMENT PERSONNEL:

More than 600 tournament referees, scorers, timekeepers, and gym supervisors volunteer their time to run this tournament.

AWARDS:

Individual trophies will be presented to all 1st, 2nd and 3rd place team members.

SPECIAL RULES:

1. Games will be played with 18-minute running halves, with the clock stopping the last two minutes of each half.
2. All teams must have basketball uniforms; jerseys should be numbered according to official basketball rules.
3. 3-Point shot will be scored in appropriately marked gyms.
4. The intermediate size basketball will be used for all games.



5. All technical fouls will result in the automatic awarding of 2 points plus the ball out-of-bounds. Any player or coach receiving a second technical foul for unsportsmanlike conduct will be removed from the game, and upon review by the committee, may be prohibited from further participation in the tournament.
6. Teams may full-court press to a 10-point lead.
7. Two timeouts per half, one additional timeout for each 2-minute overtime. Unused timeouts cannot be carried over.

PAIRINGS:

Game times and opponents will be mailed the week of March 15, 2012.

SPECTATOR ADMISSION:

Tournament passes will be available for \$10.00. Individual games will cost \$5.00.

T-SHIRTS:

Official tournament t-shirts and hoodies can be pre-ordered and personalized online at www.siouxfallsymca.org. March 11, 2012 is the deadline to order. No t-shirts will be sold at the tournament. **ONLINE ORDERING ONLY!**

FURTHER INFORMATION:

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